

COMPLETE THE PLANS

Program Ready for S. W. V. Encampment.

COMMITTEES IN SESSION

Appeal Made for Holiday to Members in District Service.

SOUTHERN VETERANS INVITED

Second Division to Comprise Two Brigades, First, Military; Second, Civic Organizations.

Plans for the national encampment and reunion of the United Spanish War Veterans, to begin Monday morning, have been practically completed, and about all that remains is to carry them into effect. Gen. George H. Harries, chairman, and the citizens' finance committee held a meeting late yesterday afternoon in the rooms of the Board of Trade and the business men who are members of the committee reported that ample funds have been subscribed to provide for all the features of the program.

It was reported that the business men along Pennsylvania avenue, 7th street and other principal thoroughfares will generally decorate their buildings, and that the Spanish colors, which are the official colors of the Spanish War Veterans, will be used in many places. It is the expressed desire of the encampment committee that the structures along Pennsylvania avenue particularly be dressed today and tomorrow, as many of the visitors are expected to reach this city Sunday.

Appeal for the Clerks.

The decision was reached by unanimous vote to request the District Commissioners to grant all Spanish War Veterans in the employ of the District holiday next Tuesday on the occasion of the parade. It was also decided to invite all soldiers of the war with Spain who are not members of the organization to take part in the parade as a separate division, either in service uniform or dark clothes, white gloves and campaign hats to be worn. These veterans are requested to report to Capt. William Peacock, department adjutant, at the Hotel Regent Monday afternoon from 4:30 to 6 o'clock for registry and assignment to their place in line.

It was stated that Gen. George H. Harries is a past provincial commander of the Department of the District of Columbia, and Commander Mitchell was requested to present his name to the national encampment as one of the representatives from this district.

A communication was read from Mr. Chas. A. Stillings, the public printer, enclosing a contribution for the encampment fund of \$25. He said:

"I wish you a very successful encampment, with good weather, big attendance and all the other good things, and with assurances of my high personal regard."

The reading of this letter was greeted with applause. Other communications were from Capt. E. E. Kirk, junior vice commander-in-chief of the national body, and among them was one from the Spanish War Veterans to arrive here, both of whom came yesterday were Maj. Edwin S. Bean, late of the 13th Minnesota Infantry, and commander of the Department of California, and Croutler L. Lake, representing the state of Rhode Island.

General Invitation Extended.
The executive board of the national encampment committee, United Spanish War Veterans, at its session yesterday afternoon, extended a general invitation to all the soldiers in the southern states who served in the war with Spain to attend the national encampment to be held here beginning Monday, October 8.

The board also decided to take up at the national encampment session the question of organizing many camps in the south during the coming year. Southern soldiers to be expected at the national encampment officers. Among the first to signify their intention of coming to Washington next Monday are Brigadier General Columbia, commanding the 2d Regiment of Infantry, National Guard of South Carolina, with other officers from that state. President Roosevelt will be present at the guest of honor at the banquet to be held at the close of the encampment.

Order to Second Division.
The following order was issued today by Capt. Lee M. Lipscomb, marshal of the second division of the parade, and addressed to Mr. William B. Porter, commander of the brigade of second division, United Spanish War Veterans:

"Sir: The second division will comprise two brigades. The first brigade will be in military character, will be under the immediate command of the marshal of the division. The second brigade, composed of civic organizations, is assigned to you as marshal. In view of the splendid assistance, financial and otherwise, rendered by the patriotic citizens of Washington, I have deemed it proper that your division should have the position of honor—that of being immediately in front of the third division composed of veterans. If you desire you may have your immediate aides wear white sashes in addition to the prescribed dress. You will rendezvous your brigade at 4th street and Indiana avenue northwest between 1 and 2 o'clock on the afternoon of the 8th instant. The grand marshal has assigned 2d street for the division, right resting on Pennsylvania avenue, and will move at 2:30 sharp."

Special Police.
The approval of the Commissioners has been given to the appointment of thirty additional private members of the Spanish War Veterans, who will be invested with police authority in connection with their duties as members of the committee on public order during the encampment of that organization in this city next week. The embryo policemen, with the places they will be assigned for duty, follow: Baltimore and Ohio depot, Henry Foster, Charles A. Murray, B. Berthier, Joseph Ruppel, George W. Brooke and Edward Sauer; Pennsylvania depot, George W. Byron, James C. O'Brien, William Mellor, John Grim, George A. Jones and H. C. Porter; smoker, Thomas A. Green, and G. E. Rausch; national headquarters, Ebbitt House, Charles J. Harlow, John H. Henry, Henry Thompson, Daniel Leahy, Rufus W. Pearson and Oliver Sauer.

Escort to Maine Model.
At a meeting of the executive board of the national encampment committee at the Hotel Regent Wednesday night, the announcement that "Comrade" Roosevelt had decided to "give the boys of 1898 a holiday" Tuesday in order that they may participate in the parade next Tuesday was greeted with applause. The hope was expressed that the heads of departments would excuse all members of the G. A. R. Tuesday afternoon who desire to participate in the civil war section of the parade. Capt. Peacock, secretary of the board, was instructed to communicate with the heads of the departments on this subject.

Toilets for Saturday.

Pompeian Massage Cream	35c.
20-Mul's Team Borax; 1 lb.	10c.
25c. Imported Tooth Brushes	10c.
Pasteurine Tooth Paste	15c.
Imported Bay Rum	17c.
Tucker's Tar Soap	15c.
Sosodont Tooth Powder	15c.
Malvina Cream	35c.
Dorin's Rouge	15c.
Roger & Gallet's Veloute Face Powder	39c.
Woodbury's Facial Soap	15c.
Propylactic Tooth Brushes	25c.
Coryolis Talcum Powder	11c.
Coigate's Violet Toilet Water	17c.
Roger & Gallet's Poudre de Riz	15c.
Pinaud's Vegetal Liliac	40c.
Westphal's Auxillator	35c.
Holmes' Frostilla	15c.
Colgate's Anniversary Package (Toilet Powder and cake)	15c.
Cashmere Bouquet Soap	35c.
Creme Beau Sante	35c.
Woodbury's Facial Cream	15c.

SHOP EARLY TOMORROW EVENING--STORE CLOSSES PROMPTLY AT 9 O'CLOCK.

Fall Opening Sale

HECHT'S GREATER STORES.
513-515-517 SEVENTH STREET.

No Need for Cash--You Can Pay It in Little Amounts Later On.

Join the Crowds Coming to the Hecht Stores. Tomorrow Will Be the Biggest, Best and Busiest Day of the Opening Week. Every Person Will Be Here!

The Goodness of Those \$5 Hats.



The superb Opening exhibit is well worth seeing. Come tomorrow.

\$1 Wrappers at 69c.

Don't fail to visit the wrapper section (third floor) for several of those extra good Fall Wrappers at 69c. They are in new dark percales, with fitted waist linings; all colors, including gray and black. There are all sizes. These are the regular \$1 Wrappers. Saturday's price.

Saturday Leaders in Women's Tailored Wear.

VERY STYLISH NEW FALL SUITS IN BEST CHEVIOTS and light, medium and dark mixtures, checks and plaids; the chevrons in blue, brown and black; styles include the smart Prince Chap, 24-strap, close-fitting and box-front effects; jackets are satin lined and skirts are in the newest pleated models; a suit easily worth \$24.98; for the Opening at.

RICH AND STYLISH BROADCLOTH SUITS IN BLUE, black and brown; the Prince Chap and smart box effects; the skirts are stylishly pleated and in the newest cut; the coats are full lined with satin; these suits were bought to sell at \$29.98. Opening special.

MAN-MADE SKIRTS IN EXTRA GOOD QUALITY Panamas and chevrons; these skirts came to us from one of the best makers in the country; they are in the stylish all-over pleated models and were bought to sell at \$5.98; for the Opening, priced at.

TAFFETA SILK UNDERSKIRTS IN BLACK AND VARIOUS wanted colors; they are of extra good and serviceable quality and are stylishly accented pleated and ruffled; these underskirts are to be sold at \$5.98; they will be specially priced for Opening at.

A SUPERB DISPLAY OF THE NEWEST TAFFETA Silk Waists, in all the evening shades and black; the designs are varied and handsome—some with finely embroidered fronts, and most exclusive fall models; the values are \$5 to \$7; a great Opening special at.

RICH AND HANDSOME BRUSSELS NET WAISTS, made over Jap. silk foundation; finely tucked and designed with Irish point lace medallions; some with Clu ny lace fronts; short sleeves; these fine waists are the most dressy to be had; the values are \$9.98; for the Opening they are priced at.

How Footwear is Under-priced for Saturday.

WOMEN'S HIGH-GRADE PATENT Leather Shoes, patent and kid tips; lace and button; Cuban and low heels; well soles; value, \$3.50. \$2.48

MISSIES' AND CHILDREN'S LACE Shoes; splendid for school wear; heavy soles; sizes \$2 to \$2.50; 2; special price. 98c.

WOMEN'S PATENT LEATHER Gun Metal and Vici Kid Shoes; turn and welt soles; Cuban heels; all styles; special. \$3.50

MEN'S GOOD QUALITY AND STYLISH Box Calf and Vici Kid Shoes; bluchers and hals; heavy, extended toes; all sizes; value is \$3. \$2.40

MEN'S FINEST VICI KID, PATENT, Box and Velour Calf Shoes; "Nabob" toe; a new pair for any that do not wear well. \$3.50

INFANTS' PATENT TIP SHOES; turn and welt soles; Cuban heels; all styles; actual value is 50c; for sale at. 29c.

Women's White and Gingham Aprons, full and ample sizes; selling always at 25c; for Saturday's selling reduced to. 15c.

Style and Service Characterize Hecht Clothing.

Do You Want Style?

It is style in clothes that shows the difference between the Prince and the Peasant.

Smart, spic-and-span, stylish clothes are a business asset.

We have all the styles of the best designers in the country.

All the striking new features are here, as well as the more conservative cuts—every one in exactly the right fashionable lines.

But, best of all, this style and shapeliness is tailored into each garment—it will have that stylish appearance until it is worn out.

Yes, sir; you'll get the very best of style in Hecht clothes.

The suits at \$15, \$17.50 and \$20 are the best exemplars of the style and quality points that have made Hecht clothing famous. We challenge a custom tailor to equal them at anywhere near the prices.

Top Coats.....\$12.50 to \$25.00
Rain Coats.....\$15.00 to \$25.00



Do You Want Service?

Your clothes money is wasted if you don't get good, long service out of the clothes you buy.

That means all-wool fabrics and good tailoring.

That's what you get here. From the lowest to the highest priced garment the fabric is always all-wool or silk-and-wool.

Then the Hecht tailoring means long wear, for it is thoroughly well done. Where a hot iron shapes most clothes long enough to sell them, Hecht clothes are permanently needle-molded into shape.

You certainly will get the best of service in Hecht clothes.

Always Making Smallest Prices on Boys' Wear.

Boys' Double-breasted and Norfolk Suits; the double-breasted suits have straight pants, the Norfolk have bloomer pants; sizes 7 to 16 years. All sell at \$4.

Children's Sailor and Russian-blouse Suits; all very high grade; made with sailor collar and bloomer pants; sizes 2½ to 10 years; a special bargain at \$4.98

Boys' Very Mannish Top Coats, in tan covert, blue serge, oxford gray and red flannel; selling at \$6 and \$7; for Saturday, \$4.98 special at.

Boys' All-wool and Corduroy Knee Pants, special at. 39c.

Boys' Madras and Domet Flannel Blouse Waists now. 15c.



The New Underskirt == "No-vent."

The very latest in Underskirts—the new jersey-top "No-vent," made with full, fluffy flounces at bottom; clings closely to figure; the only practical skirt for stout figures; we have them at all prices—

\$1.50 \$1.98 \$2.98 \$3.98

Girls' and Children's Wraps Reduced.

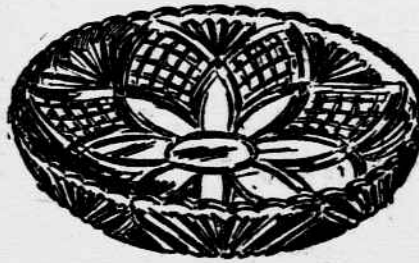
Children's Bearskin Sets—consisting of coats in white, red, blue, gray or brown, with cap or Tam o'Shanter to match. The complete set, worth \$5, at. \$3.98

GIRLS' FINE QUALITY SCHOOL Coats; three-quarter length; made full and ample and of extra good quality cloth; tan, navy, brown and Oxford; these coats will sell at \$6.50. For Saturday at. \$3.98

GIRLS' HEAVY CLOTH COATS, extra well made and richly priced at \$7.50; for a day, very specially priced. \$5.00

This Handsome Fruit and Salad Bowl, 7c.

After 5 o'clock tomorrow evening we shall sell these Beautiful Heavy Glass Bowls, in new and pretty design, for which you'd pay anywhere 15c. (not more than 2 to a buyer; none delivered).... 7c.



Gloves, Handkerchiefs and Laces.

Women's 10-button-length Mousquetaire Kid Gloves; black, white and all the leading shades; this is the most popular \$1.50 glove; special for Saturday, at. 10c.

100 dozen Women's Fine Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, that regularly sell at 90c; for Saturday, a special at. 10c.

Lot of Fine Point de Paris and Torchon Laces, consisting of insertions and edgess; widths from 1 to 3 inches; regularly 8c. and 10c. yard. 5c.

Men's Shirts and Underwear Will Sell Quickly.

Lot of 100 dozen Men's extra good quality Neglige Shirts; some slightly soiled; were made to sell as high as 75c. Special price for Saturday. 39c.

100 DOZEN MEN'S FINE FLEECE-lined Shirts and Drawers; in all sizes for Saturday, special. 49c.

MEN'S MEDIUM-WEIGHT NATURAL Wool Undershirts and Drawers; all sizes. Special. 49c.

More Big Underpricing In Groceries.

Finest Small Lean Sugar-cured Hams, each one government inspected and personally selected by us; you therefore have the double assurance of their excellence. 157c.

Tomatoes; new pack. 7½c.

Pillsbury's Best Flour, 24 pounds. 60c.

Imported Sardines, in oil. 6½c.

"Snow White" Cooking Compound; 3 lbs. 29c.

Nabo Olives; selected or stuffed. 7½c.

Grandma's Soap Powder. 2c.

Campbell's Tobacco Ketchup. 7½c.

Fels-Naptha Soap; 10 cakes. 39c.

Savor, coffee substitute; lb. 4½c.

Bijou Sand Soap; large. 2½c.

Kipper Herring; large. 15c.

Taza-Char Tea; ½ lb. 19c.

Shriver's Blue Ridge Corn. 7½c.

Angel Food, made of best materials. 10c.

A Purchase of Men's Sample Hats.

We have closed out from a manufacturer of Men's Soft Hats all of his sample lines, about 10 dozen all told. This maker produces hats that sell at \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50. These samples we are to put on sale tomorrow. Sizes are 7, 7½, 7¾, 8, 8½, 9, 9½, 10, 10½, 11, 11½, 12, 12½, 13, 13½, 14, 14½, 15, 15½, 16, 16½, 17, 17½, 18, 18½, 19, 19½, 20, 20½, 21, 21½, 22, 22½, 23, 23½, 24, 24½, 25, 25½, 26, 26½, 27, 27½, 28, 28½, 29, 29½, 30, 30½, 31, 31½, 32, 32½, 33, 33½, 34, 34½, 35, 35½, 36, 36½, 37, 37½, 38, 38½, 39, 39½, 40, 40½, 41, 41½, 42, 42½, 43, 43½, 44, 44½, 45, 45½, 46, 46½, 47, 47½, 48, 48½, 49, 49½, 50, 50½, 51, 51½, 52, 52½, 53, 53½, 54, 54½, 55, 55½, 56, 56½, 57, 57½, 58, 58½, 59, 59½, 60, 60½, 61, 61½, 62, 62½, 63, 63½, 64, 64½, 65, 65½, 66, 66½, 67, 67½, 68, 68½, 69, 69½, 70, 70½, 71, 71½, 72, 72½, 73, 73½, 74, 74½, 75, 75½, 76, 76½, 77, 77½, 78, 78½, 79, 79½, 80, 80½, 81, 81½, 82, 82½, 83, 83½, 84, 84½, 85, 85½, 86, 86½, 87, 87½, 88, 88½, 89, 89½, 90, 90½, 91, 91½, 92, 92½, 93, 93½, 94, 94½, 95, 95½, 96, 96½, 97, 97½, 98, 98½, 99, 99½, 100, 100½, 101, 101½, 102, 102½, 103, 103½, 104, 104½, 105, 105½, 106, 106½, 107, 107½, 108, 108½, 109, 109½, 110, 110½, 111, 111½, 112, 112½, 113, 113½, 114, 114½, 115, 115½, 116, 116½, 117, 117½, 118, 118½, 119, 119½, 120, 120½, 121, 121½, 122, 122½, 123, 123½, 124, 124½, 125, 125½, 126, 126½, 127, 127½, 128, 128½, 129, 129½, 130, 130½, 131, 131½, 132, 132½, 133, 133½, 134, 134½, 135, 135½, 136, 136½, 137, 137½, 138, 138½, 139, 139½, 140, 140½, 141, 141½, 142, 142½, 143, 143½, 144, 144½, 145, 145½, 146, 146½, 147, 147½, 148, 148½, 149, 149½, 150, 150½, 151, 151½, 152, 152½, 153, 153½, 154, 154½, 155, 155½, 156, 156½, 157, 157½, 158, 158½, 159, 159½, 160, 160½, 161, 161½, 162, 162½, 163, 163½, 164, 164½, 165, 165½, 166, 166½, 167, 167½, 168, 168½, 169, 169½, 170, 170½, 171, 171½, 172, 172½, 173, 173½, 174, 174½, 175, 175½, 176, 176½, 177, 177½, 178, 178½, 179, 179½, 180, 180½, 181, 181½, 182, 182½, 183, 183½, 184, 184½, 185, 185½, 186, 186½, 187, 187½, 188, 188½, 189, 189½, 190, 190½, 191, 191½, 192, 192½, 193, 193½, 194, 194½, 195, 195½, 196, 196½, 197, 197½, 198, 198½, 199, 199½, 200, 200½, 201, 201½, 202, 202½, 203, 203½, 204, 204½, 205, 205½, 206, 206½, 207, 207½, 208, 208½, 209, 209½, 210, 210½, 211, 211½, 212, 212½, 213, 213½, 214, 214½, 215, 215½, 216, 216½, 217, 217½, 218, 218½, 219, 219½, 220, 220½, 221, 221½, 222, 222½, 223, 223½, 224, 224½, 225, 225½, 226, 226½, 227, 227½, 228, 228½, 229, 229½, 230, 230½, 231, 231½, 232, 232½, 233, 233½, 234, 234½, 235, 235½, 236, 236½, 237, 237½, 238, 238½, 239, 239½, 240, 240½, 241, 241½, 242, 242½, 243, 243½, 244, 244½, 245, 245½, 246, 246½, 247, 247½, 248, 248½, 249, 249½, 250, 250½, 251, 251½, 252, 252½, 253, 253½, 254, 254½, 255, 255½, 256, 256½, 257, 257½, 258, 258½, 259, 259½, 260, 260½, 261, 261½, 262, 262½, 263, 263½, 264, 264½, 265, 265½, 266, 266½, 267, 267½, 268, 268½, 269, 269½, 270, 270½, 271, 271½, 272, 272½, 273, 273½, 274, 274½, 275, 275½, 276, 276½, 277, 277½, 278, 278½, 279, 279½, 280, 280½, 281, 281½, 282, 282½, 283, 283½, 284, 284½, 285, 285½, 286, 286½, 287, 287½, 288, 288½, 289, 289½, 290, 290½, 291, 291½, 292, 292½, 293, 293½, 294, 294½, 295, 295½, 296, 296½, 297, 297½, 298, 298½, 299, 299½, 300, 300½, 301, 301½, 302, 302½, 303, 303½, 304, 304½, 305, 305½, 306, 306½, 307, 307½, 308, 308½, 309, 309½, 310, 310½, 311, 311½, 312, 312½, 313, 313½, 314, 314½, 315, 315½, 316, 316½, 317, 317½, 318, 318½, 319, 319½, 320, 320½, 321, 321½, 322, 322½, 323, 323½, 324, 324½, 325, 325½, 326, 326½, 327, 327½, 328, 328½, 329, 329½, 330, 330½, 331, 331½, 332, 332½, 333, 333½, 334, 334½, 335, 335½, 336, 336½, 337, 337½, 338, 338½, 339, 339½, 340, 340½, 341, 341½, 342, 342½, 343, 343½, 344, 344½, 345, 345½, 346, 346½, 347, 347½, 348, 348½, 349, 349½, 350, 350½, 351, 351½, 352, 352½, 353, 353½, 354, 354½, 355, 355½, 356, 356½, 357, 357½, 358, 358½, 359, 359½, 360, 360½, 361, 361½, 362, 362½, 363, 363½, 364, 364½, 365, 365½, 366, 366½, 367, 367½, 368, 368½, 369, 369½, 370, 370½, 371, 371½, 372, 372½, 373, 373½, 374, 374½, 375, 375½, 376, 376½, 377, 377½, 378, 378½, 379, 379½, 380, 380½, 381, 381½, 382, 382½, 383, 383½, 384, 384½, 385, 385½, 386, 386½, 387, 387½, 388, 388½, 389, 389½, 390, 390½, 391, 391½, 392, 392½, 393, 393½, 394, 394½, 395, 395½, 396, 396½, 397, 397½, 398, 398½, 399, 399½, 400, 400½, 401, 401½, 402, 402½, 403, 403½, 404, 404½, 405, 405½, 406, 406½, 407, 407½, 408, 408½, 409, 409½, 410, 410½, 411, 411½, 412, 412½, 413, 413½, 414, 414½, 415, 415½, 416, 416½, 417, 417½, 418, 418½, 419, 419½, 420, 420½, 421, 421½, 422,